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APPLICANT:

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PETITION UNDER RULE 136(a) AND RULE 17(a)(2)

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COMMISSIONER:

Applicant petitions the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, under Rule 136(a), to extend the time for response to the Final Office Action dated April 27, 2010, for two months, from JULY 27, 2010 until SEPTEMBER 27, 2010. Submitted herewith, under Rule 17(a)(2), is a check in the amount of \$490.00 to cover the cost of the extension for a Large Entity.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additionally required fee, or to credit any overpayment, to our Deposit Account No. 03-2468.

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